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Title:

CELL LINES THAT STABLY OR TRANSIENTLY EXPRESS A

FUNCTIONAL UMAMI (T1R1/T1R3) TASTE RECEPTOR

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114, AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Sir:

The following amendment and remarks are submitted pursuant to, and concurrently with, a Request for Continued Examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114, and are responsive to the Final Office Action mailed January 24, 2007 ("Office Action"), in the above-identified application.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 50-0206 in the amount of \$790.00 to cover the Request for Continued Examination fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e). It is believed that no other fees are required for entry of this response, but should any fees be necessary, the Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office is authorized to charge such fees to Deposit Account No. 50-0206.

In complete response to the Office Action, please amend the present application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 10 of this paper.